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REF: A. STATE 193303 DTD OCT 22, 1971

B. ROME 7961, DEC 21, 1971

C. ROME 12513

1. AS DEPT AWARE, US-ITALIAN AGREEMENT ON SAN MARCO RANGE WAS NOT RENEWED BEFORE IT EXPIRED ON DEC 31, 1971. REASON FOR NON-RENEWAL WAS DECISION OF GOI MINISTER FOR SCIENTIFIC AND TECHNOLOGICAL RESEARCH THAT FORMAL RENEWAL WOULD HAVE TO WAIT UNTIL CIPE (INTERMINISTERIAL COMMITTEE ON ECONOMIC PLANNING) APPROVED SPACE BUDGET. (REF B)

2. FOR NUMBER OF REASONS, SAN MARCO PROJECT FUNDING WAS APPROVED ONLY IN MID-NOVEMBER OF THIS YEAR. FOLLOWING THIS CIPE APPROVAL, PROFESSOR BROGLIO, PROGRAM HEAD, INDICATED TO SCIATT DESIRE TO PROCEED WITH RENEWAL OF US-ITALIAN AGREEMENT ON SAN MARCO RANGE.

3. ORIGINAL INSTRUCTIONS TO EMBASSY FOR RENEWAL PLANNED FOR LATE 1971 CONTAINED IN REF A. AT THAT TIME

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USG PREFERRED RENEWAL OF AGREEMENT FOR AN INDEFINITE

PERIOD AND PLANNED TO EXTEND AGREEMENT BY EXCHANGE OF NOTE.
PROPOSED TEXT OF NOTES ALSO FOUND IN REF A.

4. IN VIEW OF ALMOST TWO YEARS ELAPSED SINCE EXPIRATION
OF AGREEMENT, REQUEST DEPT INSTRUCTIONS ON PROCEDURE FOR
RENEWAL OF SAN MARCO AGREEMENT. VOLPE

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